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| <b>Title: USING ALTERNATE POLARIZATION IN FIXED WIRELESS SYSTEM<br/>DEPLOYMENT FOR IMPROVED CAPACITY</b> |                                      |

**PETITION FOR  
EXTENSION OF TIME**

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In accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), it is respectfully requested that a one-month extension of time be granted in which to respond to the Office Action mailed March 12, 2004, said period of response being extended from June 12, 2004 to July 12, 2004.

An authorized Credit Card Payment form is included to cover the \$110 petition fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a). Please charge any additional fees or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 502432.

Respectfully submitted,

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